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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 13 May 2008.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 25.

Identification of prior art discussed: BOEHM 2004/0039384.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant faxed proposed amendments. The examiner made suggestions to aid in overcoming the BOEHM reference (particularly adding structural language as opposed to functional language) and to clarify the claim language. The examiner reminded Applicant not to add any new matter, and that claim limitations must be supported by the originally filed disclosure. The examiner agreed to call Applicant upon performing an updated search.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Mary C. Hoffman/
Examiner, Art Unit 3733

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